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FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

TO AMEMBASSY ACCRA

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 7529

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AMEMBASSY LAGOS

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AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

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TAGS: OEXC, TZ

SUBJECT: STAG BLASSINGAME

REF: DAR-0548-LOU

1. BLASSINGAME ACCEPTED WITH GRACE COUNSEL DESCRIBED REFTEL
AND AGREED READILY THAT FUTURE PRESENTATIONS BE MORE BALANCED.

2. POST BELIEVES COMBINATION BAD COLD, INEXPERIENCE WITH
FOREIGN AUDIENCES, TENDENCY TO SHOWBOAT/PANDER TO AUDIENCE
RESULTED IN PROBABLY QUITE UNCHARACTERISTIC PERFORMANCE.
HE WAS BRIEFED, BUT HINDSIGHT WOULD INDICATE HE WAS NOT IN
CONDITION TO ABSORB IT AND HEALTH ALSO PREVENTED HIS DOING
INDEPENDENT PREPARATION.

3. TO SAVE HIS DISAPPEARING VOICE BLASSINGAME USED TOPPIN
VTR AS INTRODUCTION TO HIS REMARKS, WHICH WERE THUS
NOT HIS PREPARED COMMENTS.

4. SPEAKER APPEARED ON TOP OF COLD BY MONDAY.
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